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Dear Mr. Wood:

Pursuant to IC 4-22-2-28, the Indiana Economic Development Corporation ("IEDC") has reviewed the economic impact analysis for small business associated with rule changes contained in LSA Document 10-416 and proposed by the Indiana Department of Child Services ("DCS"). The proposed rule adds 465 IAC 2-16 to establish the mechanisms the department will use for setting maintenance payments, administrative payments, and payments for other costs and services that may be made to residential treatment services providers, and to describe outcome measures that the DCS may consider in contracting with residential treatment services providers for placement of children and provision of services.

The economic impact statement prepared by the DCS indicates that there are approximately 50 residential treatment service centers in Indiana that meet the definition of a "small business". The economic impact statement prepared by DCS indicates that the overall impact of the proposed rule is expected to be minimal and that some providers could see an increase in revenue as a result of the changes.

The IEDC does not object to the economic impact to small businesses associated with the proposed rule. If you have any questions about the comments contained herein please contact me at 232-8962 or rasberry@iedc.in.gov.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ryan Asberry".

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Assistant Vice President